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AN 1978-69877A [39] WPIDS  
TI Wear resistant **copper** alloy for wrought prods. - contains nickel-aluminium, manganese-silicon, nickel-beryllium and/or nickel-silicon inter-metallic cpds. in **copper-zinc** alloy.

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PA (NISH-N) NIPPON SHINDO KK

CYC 1

PI JP 53097927 A 19780826 (197839)\*

PRAI JP 1977-13209 19770208

AB JP 53097927 A UPAB: 19930901

Dispersion strengthening type wear resistant **Cu** alloy for wrought prod. consists (by wt) of <12% Ni, 55-65% **Cu+Ni**, 1-5% Al, 2-4% Mn, 0.5-3% Si, <0.5% Be and the balance of **Zn**. The alloy has dispersed in its **Cu-Zn** series mother alloy phase >=2 **intermetallic** cpds. of Ni-Al, Mn-Si, Ni-Be and Ni-Si series.

Multiple effect of the **intermetallic** cpds. dispersed to ppt. in the mother phase improves wear resistance impact resistance and fatigue strength of the alloy. The Ni having properties analogous to **Cu** may be considered replaceable structurally with an equal amt. of **Cu**, contributes to strengthen the mother matrix, and forms **intermetallic** cpds. with Al, Be, and Si. Less than 12% Ni reduces fluidity of the alloy on casting. Limitation of **Cu+Ni** 55-65% is to made the alpha or alpha+beta mother phase.

AN 1982-50997E [25] WPIDS  
TI Dispersion-strengthened brass alloy - includes aluminium, titanium and at least one of iron, nickel and cobalt.  
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PA (MITV) MITSUBISHI METAL CORP  
CYC 1  
PI JP 57076143 A 19820513 (198225)\* 4p  
JP 59052944 B 19841222 (198504)  
ADT JP 57076143 A JP 1980-152941 19801030  
PRAI JP 1980-152941 19801030  
AB JP 57076143 A UPAB: 19930915  
Brass comprises 15-43% Zn, 0.5-10% Al, 0.5-6% Mn, 0.1-2% Si, 0.05-2.5% Ti, 0.05-2% Pb, 0.1-4% of one or more of Fe, Ni and Co, and the balance Cu and impurities. The brass may also contain 0.05-1% of one or more of Cr, Zr and V.

The brass is useful as a machine part to be operated under a high load condition, e.g. a synchroniser ring or bearing for a car. A known Mn-Si intermetallic cpd.-dispersed brass contains dendritic Mn-Si particles which elongate along its rolling direction. As a result, the prod. is likely to have anisotropic properties. This defect is now overcome by the coexistence of Ti and a Fe-gp. metal. The addn. of Ti and the Fe-gp. metal makes the Mn-Si intermetallic cpd. particles 'granular'. The Zn and Al change the alloy matrix into an alpha or alpha+beta phase. Consequently the alloy is improved in strength, toughness and wear resistance.

In an example, an alloy (18.4% Zn, 7.42% Al, 3.01% Mn, 0.81% Si, 0.53% Pb, 0.91% Ti, 2.05% Fe and Cu) had a tensile strength of 84.5 kg/sq.mm, an elongation of 12.4% and a low abrasion loss.

AN 1985-119123 [20] WPIDS  
DNC C1985-051612  
TI Shape memory alloy with improved cold workability and strength - consists of **copper**, aluminium, **zinc**, nickel and silicon and/or phosphorus.  
DC M26  
PA (FURU) FURUKAWA ELECTRIC CO LTD  
CYC 1  
PI JP 60059035 A 19850405 (198520)\* 3p  
JP 03006212 B 19910129 (199108)  
ADT JP 60059035 A JP 1983-165737 19830908; JP 03006212 B JP 1983-165737 19830908  
PRAI JP 1983-165737 19830908  
AB JP 60059035 A UPAB: 19930925  
0.01-0.50 wt.% Si and/or P are added to Cu-alloy contg.  
0.05-10.0% Al, 9.0-40.0% Zn, and 0.30-2.0% Ni deposited fine intermetallic cpds. The cold workability is improved.  
USE/ADVANTAGE - The alloy also has excellent shape memory effect and sample prod. had tensile strength of 96-112 kgf/mm<sup>2</sup>.  
In an example 11.7% Zn, 8.39% Al, 0.66% Ni, were added to molten Cu in the graphite crucible to obtain 180-mm long bars and 150x200x25-mm<sup>3</sup> ingots. Cold workability, tensile strength, and shape memorising ability were tested on the 8-mm dia. bar and 150x8-mm<sup>2</sup> sheet cut. The shape memorisation was complete; no cracks formed at 80% cold working; the tensile strength was 112 kgf/mm<sup>2</sup>.  
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AN 1985-260465 [42] WPIDS  
DNC C1985-112959  
TI Wear resistant **copper** alloy - contains **zinc**,  
aluminium, manganese, iron and silicon.  
DC M26  
PA (KOBM) KOBE STEEL LTD  
CYC 1  
PI JP 60174843 A 19850909 (198542)\* 4p  
JP 62057700 B 19871202 (198751)  
ADT JP 60174843 A JP 1984-31136 19840221; JP 62057700 B JP 1984-37136 19840221  
PRAI JP 1984-31136 19840221; JP 1984-37136 19840221  
AB JP 60174843 A UPAB: 19930925

Alloy consists by wt. of **Zn** 10-30%, Al 5-10%, Mn 0.5-5%, Fe 0.5-5%, Si 1-6%, and the balance **Cu** with incidental impurities. It includes Fe-Mn-Si ternary cpds. 1-12% with weight ratio Fe/Si and Mn/Si 0.3-14 respectively.

USE/ADVANTAGE - Synchronizer ring in automobile transmission mechanism used in severe sliding conditions. The Mn and Fe form not only Mn<sub>5</sub>Si<sub>3</sub> and Fe<sub>3</sub>Si but also Fe-Mn-Si **intermetallic** cpds. to increase wear resistance of **copper** alloy more than the case of MnSi<sub>3</sub>. As compared with conventional alloy including Ti, Cr, Co, Zr, V, etc., the new alloy is competitive in wear resistance and improved in castability. **Zn** and Al restrict fuming of molten **copper** and pptn. of gamma-phase.

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AN 1992-053806 [07] WPIDS

DNC C1992-024281

TI Copper-based sintered alloy with good wear resistance at high temps. - includes zinc in the alloy, with molybdenum-silicon intermetallic cpd., particles dispersed in it with specific void vol..

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PA (MITV) MITSUBISHI MATERIALS CORP

CYC 1

PI JP 04000340 A 19920106 (199207)\*

PRAI JP 1990-100117 19900416

AB JP 04000340 A UPAB: 19931006

The alloy has a structure in which 1-15 vol.% Mo-Si intermetallic cpd. particles of 1-50 micron-mean particle size are uniformly dispersed, and 1-15 vol.% voids are distributed in the matrix of a Cu alloy comprising 10-40 wt.% Zn with balance Cu and incidental impurities.

USE - Used for valve guide members of internal combustion engines and bearing members of turbochargers.

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AN 90:11051 HCA  
TI Abrasion-resistant copper alloys  
IN Takeuchi, Isao; Iwamura, Takuro; Kishida, Kunio; Komori, Shinichi;  
Shimizu, Eiji  
PA Mitsubishi Metal Corp., Japan  
SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 7 pp.  
CODEN: JKXXAF  
DT Patent  
LA Japanese  
FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	JP 53100913	A2	19780902	JP 1977-15474	19770217
	JP 58031381	B4	19830705		

AB The alloys contain Fe 1.5-7.5, Ti 1.0-5.0, Al 2.0-13.8%, and optionally Zn in amts. such that Zn + 4Al = 40.0-56.0%. They have excellent abrasion resistance, and toughness, and machinability due to pptn.-hardening by intermetallic compds. 1toreq.10 .mu. in diam. When the alloys were homogenized at 650.degree. for 2 h and air-cooled, the tensile strengths were 64.4-79.5 kg/mm<sup>2</sup> and elongations 4.0-25.1%. The abrasion was less at low speed.

AN 116:240185 HCA  
TI Wear-resistant **copper** alloys  
IN Ueno, Hirochika  
PA Mitsubishi Materials Corp., Japan  
SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 4 pp.  
CODEN: JKXXAF

DT Patent  
LA Japanese

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	JP 04013825	A2	19920117	JP 1990-113119	19900507
	JP 2745774	B2	19980428		

AB The **Cu** alloys contg. **Zn** 28-33, Al 4-5.5, Ni 2-3, Ti 1-2, and C 0.01-0.2% have structures of C-contg. intermetallic compds. minutely dispersed in matrixes. The Cu alloys are useful for structural members for vehicles, e.g. automobiles.

AN 120:60311 HCA  
TI Free-cutting brass  
IN Yamaji, Kenkichi; Kawanishi, Rokuro  
PA Hitachi Alloy, Ltd., Japan  
SO Eur. Pat. Appl., 20 pp.  
CODEN: EPXXDW

DT Patent

LA English

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	EP 560590	A2	19930915	EP 1993-301814	19930310
	EP 560590	A3	19940202		
	R: DE, ES, FR, GB, IT				
	JP 05255778	A2	19931005	JP 1992-86463	19920310
PRAI	JP 1992-86463		19920310		
AB	The free-machining brass contains (1) Bi, mischmetal, and no Pb (2) Bi, mischmetal, and min. amt. of Pb. Restricting the Pb content decreases subsequent water pollution. Also, the Bi and Pb <b>intermetallic</b> compds. formed with mischmetal are uniformly dispersed. The brass compns. are Cu 57-61, Bi 0.5-4.0, mischmetal 0.05-0.9, and balance Zn, or Cu 57-61, (Bi + Pb) 0.5-4.0, mischmetal 0.05-0.5%, and balance Zn.				

AN 116:9959 HCA

TI Sintered **copper-zinc** alloys with wear resistance at  
high temperatures

IN Akutsu, Hidetoshi; Kono, Toru; Otsuki, Masato

PA Mitsubishi Metal Corp., Japan

SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 9 pp.

CODEN: JKXXAF

DT Patent

LA Japanese

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	JP 03036226	A2	19910215	JP 1989-171488	19890703
	JP 2745695	B2	19980428		

AB The **Cu** alloys suitable for engine parts contain **Zn**  
5-25, Fe, Ni, and/or Co 0.1-3, O 0.01-0.5, and optionally Al 0.1-0.8, Mn  
0.1-3, and/or Co, Mo, and/or W 0.1-2 wt.%. The microstructure includes  
fine oxides and **intermetallic** compds. dispersed in the alloy  
matrix having porosity of 1-15 vol.%. Thus, a sintered rod of **Cu**  
-20 **Zn**-0.1 **Al**-0.5 **Fe**-0.1 wt.% O alloy with the porosity of 5  
vol.% showed wear loss of 43 .mu.m in a sliding test on steel, compared  
with 65 .mu.m for **Cu**-20 **Zn**-2.0 **Ni**-0.25 wt.% O alloy.

AN 116:9960 HCA

TI Sintered **copper** alloys with wear resistance at high temperatures

IN Akutsu, Hidetoshi; Kono, Toru; Otsuki, Masato

PA Mitsubishi Metal Corp., Japan

SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 8 pp.

CODEN: JKXXAF

DT Patent

LA Japanese

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	JP 03036227	A2	19910215	JP 1989-171489	19890703
	JP 2745696	B2	19980428		

AB The **Cu**-base sintered alloys suitable for engine parts contain **Zn** 5-25, **Si** 0.1-2, **Fe**, **Ni**, and/or **Co** 0.1-3, **O** 0.01-0.5, and optionally **Al** 0.1-0.3 and/or **Cr**, **Mo**, and/or **W** 0.1-2 wt.%. The microstructure includes oxides and **intermetallic** compds. uniformly dispersed in the matrix having porosity of 1-15 vol.%. Thus, a sintered rod of **Cu**-10 **Zn**-0.4 **Si**-1.5 **Fe**-0.06 wt.% **O** alloy with porosity of 6 vol.% showed wear loss of 50 .mu.m in a sliding test a steel counterpart.

AN 116:199166 HCA  
TI Copper-based sintered alloy with high wear resistance at high temperature for bearings of turbo-chargers and valve guides of engines  
IN Teraoka, Toshio; Akutsu, Hidetoshi; Shimizu, Teruo  
PA Mitsubishi Materials Corp., Japan  
SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 6 pp.

CODEN: JKXXAF

DT Patent

LA Japanese

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	JP 04000341	A2	19920106	JP 1990-100118	19900416
AB	The title Cu-based sintered alloy consists of a 10-40 wt.% Zn-contg. Cu alloy matrix and 1-15 vol.% of W-Si-based intermetallic compd. particles having 1-50 .mu.m av. particle size and dispersed uniformly in the matrix, and 1-15 vol.% of pores are distributed uniformly in the structure. The W-Si-type intermetallic compd. may be WFeSi, WNiSi, and/or WCoSi. The alloy is esp. useful for valve guides of high output internal combustion engines owing to thermal cond., burning resistance, and high wear resistance.				